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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: McMahon et al.

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For: **METHODS OF MAKING SLIDE-ZIPPERED RECLOSABLE PACKAGES
ON HORIZONTAL FORM-FILL-SEAL MACHINES**

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 17, 2005, Applicant requests that the above-identified application be reconsidered in view of the remarks which follow, that each of the present pending claims be allowed and that the application be passed to issue.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on June 17, 2005

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June 17, 2005

Date of Signature

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